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PART IV.

OFFICIAL PAPERS.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 24th Saturday in 1912 (15th June 1912).

	District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday								Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
		This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912							
						This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
	1	2		3		4		5		6		7	
		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		
BANGALORE.	Bangalore C. & M. Station	...	06	...	...	6	05	...	...	...	...		
	,, City & Taluk	...	06	1	01	7	10	9	02	— 1	92		
	Hoskote	...	07	...	37	5	33	7	88	— 2	55		
	Dodballapur	1	80	...	21	8	48	6	69	+ 1	79	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Nelamangala	0	29	...	60	11	31	7	91	+ 3	40		
	Kankanhalli	1	01	...	68	9	67	9	46	+ 0	21	Ragi	
	Magadi	...	29	...	55	10	49	8	36	+ 2	13	Kulthi	
	Channapatna	...	30	...	68	9	46	10	38	— 0	92	Kadale	
	Anekal	...	04	...	87	13	63	10	12	+ 3	51		
	Devanhalli	1	20	...	47	9	09	9	01	+ 0	08		
	Closepet	...	24	...	67	10	61	10	07	+ 0	54		
	District average...	...	53	...	61	9	52	8	89	+ 0	63		
KOLAR.	Kolar	1	52	...	36	7	81	6	44	+ 1	37		
	Bowringpet	...	31	...	22	5	11	6	86	— 1	75	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Chintamani	1	49	...	60	5	44	6	22	— 0	78		
	Mulbagal	...	86	...	37	3	39	6	61	— 3	22		
	Sidlaghatta	...	24	...	52	2	51	7	10	— 4	59	Ragi	
	Chikballapur	...	76	...	62	3	19	7	97	— 4	78		
	Bagepalli	...	14	...	97	2	03	5	24	— 3	21		
	Goribidnur	...	08	...	73	4	58	6	30	— 1	72	Kulthi	
	Malur	...	27	...	61	4	86	8	51	— 3	65		
	Srinivaspur	1	05	...	36	5	20	6	97	— 1	77		
	Gudibanda	1	63	1	17	7	87	6	48	+ 1	39	Kadale	
	District average...	...	76	...	59	4	73	6	79	— 2	06		
TUMKUR.	Tumkur	...	09	...	72	6	70	6	84	— 0	14		
	Maddagiri	...	...	...	61	6	74	5	86	+ 0	88		
	Chiknayakanhalli	...	...	...	41	6	19	6	81	— 0	62		
	Sira	0	16	...	51	5	79	4	99	+ 0	80	Rice, 2nd sort.	
	Gubbi	1	05	...	78	11	16	6	96	+ 4	20		
	Tiptur	...	90	...	42	7	07	7	59	— 0	52	Ragi	
	Pavagada	...	...	...	80	3	45	4	57	— 1	12	Kulthi	
	Kunigal	0	20	...	69	7	05	7	07	— 0	02	Kadale	
	Koratagere	...	35	...	70	6	39	6	71	— 0	32		
	Turuvekere	2	25	...	68	10	20	7	53	+ 2	67		
	District average ...	...	50	...	63	7	07	6	49	+ 0	58		

	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·25	6·25	8·59
Ragi	13·00	13·00	18·17
Kulthi	12·00	13·00	...
Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·82
Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	8·45
Ragi	12·00	12·00	19·00
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Kadale	9·50	9·50	9·35
Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·25	8·57
Ragi	15·00	15·00	20·80
Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Kadale	9·00	9·00	8·90

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday						Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week	'Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1912							
			This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5			
1	2		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
MYSORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Mysore	1	36	...	74	10	43	12	24	— 1	81	Rice, 2nd sort.	6·00	6·50	9·61
Chamrajnagar	...	...	...	56	9	51	10	12	— 0	61				
Seringapatam	...	...	...	56	2	95	10	96	— 8	01				
Hunsur	...	75	1	35	12	83	10	97	+ 1	86				
Yedatore	...	...	...	76	6	78	8	25	— 1	47	Ragi	13·00	13·00	18·99
Heggaddevankote	...	98	...	97	17	14	12	16	+ 4	98	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Gundlupet	...	33	...	47	4	51	10	89	— 6	38	Kadale	9·00	8·00	10·16
Nanjangud	...	...	...	81	7	35	10	57	— 3	22				
T.-Narsipur	...	...	1	23	6	47	10	90	— 4	43				
Malvalli	...	...	...	51	4	90	8	93	— 4	03				
Mandya	...	...	...	67	3	53	10	70	— 7	17				
Krishnarajpete	...	86	...	52	11	24	10	79	+ 0	45				
Nagamangala	...	...	...	38	5	18	8	28	— 3	10				
District average...	...	33	...	73	7	91	10	44	— 2	53				
HASSAN.														
Hassan	...	02	1	74	5	46	9	86	— 4	40				
Manjarabad (Saklespur)	2	15	4	42	7	94	13	18	— 5	24	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·50	7·50	9·56
Arkalgud	...	10	...	99	12	10	9	49	+ 2	61				
Belur	...	56	1	85	11	42	11	04	+ 0	38	Ragi	16·00	16·00	21·30
Channarayapatna	...	62	...	71	7	63	9	01	— 1	38	Kulthi	16·00	15·00	...
Arsikere	...	38	...	57	6	57	8	60	— 2	03	Kadale	9·00	7·50	8·95
Hole-Narsipur	...	43	...	83	6	21	10	07	— 3	86				
Alur	...	10	1	94	12	11	11	17	+ 0	94				
District average...	...	55	1	63	8	68	10	30	— 1	62				
SHIMOGA.														
Shimoga	...	61	1	48	8	33	7	53	+ 0	80				
Channagiri	...	28	...	83	4	06	5	47	— 1	41	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	7·00	10·33
Honnali	...	47	...	58	4	58	5	71	— 1	13				
Shikarpur	...	38	1	58	7	56	7	17	+ 0	39	Ragi	15·00	15·00	23·29
Sorab	1	38	2	56	7	03	6	84	+ 0	19	Kulthi	12·00	12·00	...
Sagar	2	54	2	56	9	71	7	33	+ 2	38				
Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	4	03	7	28	8	28	12	61	— 4	33				
Tirthahalli	2	01	5	67	8	30	10	89	— 2	59				
Kumsi	...	15	2	51	6	87	8	10	— 1	23				
District average...	1	32	2	78	7	19	7	96	— 0	77				
KADUR.														
Chikmagalur	1	28	1	40	12	81	11	60	+ 1	21				
Kadur	...	78	...	37	5	80	6	62	— 0	82	Rice, 2nd sort.	8·00	8·00	9·42
Tarikere	...	08	...	75	4	63	6	51	— 1	88				
Koppa	2	30	4	38	10	12	11	97	— 1	85	Ragi	16·00	15·50	20·70
Mudgere	2	63	5	51	10	61	15	71	— 5	10	Kulthi	14·00	14·00	...
Yedahalli	...	54	2	26	5	71	9	46	— 3	75	Kadale	8·00	8·00	9·37
Sringeri	2	91	7	29	7	98	13	96	— 5	98				
District average...	1	50	3	14	8	24	10	83	— 2	59				
CHITALDRUG.														
Chitaldrug	...	26	1	16	7	27	5	62	+ 1	65				
Challakere	...	38	1	10	1	75	4	24	— 2	49	Rice, 2nd sort.	7·00	6·50	9·35
Hiriyur	...	63	...	87	4	00	7	16	— 3	16				
Holalkere	...	16	1	00	6	53	6	30	+ 0	23	Ragi	17·00	16·00	21·80
Davangere	1	30	1	14	3	90	5	10	— 1	20	Kulthi	16·00	14·00	...
Molakalmuru	...	...	1	20	4	35	5	66	— 1	31	Cholum	14·00	16·00	17·97
Jagalur	2	00	...	86	4	56	5	84	— 1	28	Kadale	8·00	8·00	11·60
Hosdurga	...	32	...	67	8	26	6	59	+ 1	67				
Harihar	1	74	...	94	7	05	4	82	+ 2	23				
District average...	...	75	...	99	5	29	5	70	— 0	41				
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Provincial average...	0	78	1	39	7	33	8	43	— 1	10				

NOTE.—Rice (husked)—Oryza Sativa. Ragi—Eleusine Corocana. Kulthi—(Horse gram) Dolichos Biflorus. Cholum—Sorghum Vulgare. Kadale—(Bengal gram) Ciser Arietinum.

DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·53	6·90	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	14·33	13·40	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort, not available.			

Agricultural operations.—Fields are being prepared for sowing.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations are being carried on all over the district.

Crops sown.—Punajee paddy and haraka in parts of the Nelamangala Taluk; bora-bhatta (paddy) in parts of the Channapatna Taluk; punaji paddy in parts of the Anekal Taluk; and ragi, avare and punajee paddy in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Til, Vaisakhi paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition.

Prospects and probable outturn of the harvests.—Vaisakhi paddy is being harvested in parts of the Devanhalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stocks are sufficiently available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all the taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are busily engaged in ploughing and sowing their lands in all the taluks.

Crops sown.—Paddy in the Kolar, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks; natu ragi in the Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; samé, sajje and haraka in the Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks; groundnuts in the Chikballapur and Goribidnur Taluks; sesamum in Malur, and togari in the Chikballapur Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Paddy in the Chintamani, Sidlaghatta and Goribidnur Taluks, yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane is reported to be in good condition in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes. More rain is needed throughout the district.

11. Except for a few cases of cholera in the Malur Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.